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SUBJECT: EC COMMISSION MEASURES ON EGGS

1. IN RESPONSE TO RECENT UK GOVERNMENT APPEALS, THE EC COMMISSION HAS TAKEN TWO DECISIONS TO ALLEVIATE SOME OF THE PROBLEMS ON THE EC EGG MARKET. THE FIRST MEASURE IS TO INCREASE FROM 6 U.A. /100 KG. TO 12 U.A./100 KG. THE SUBSIDY ON EXPORTS OF SHELL EGGS (OTHER THAN FOR HATCHING) TO JORDAN, ARABIAN PENINSULA, COUNTRIES ON THE PERSIAN GULF AND NON-EUROPEAN COUNTRIES ON THE MEDITERRANEAN EFFECTIVE JULY 7. SUBSIDIES ON EXPORTS TO EUROPEAN THIRD COUNTRIES REMAIN AT 6 U.A./100KG. (SEE OFFICIAL JOURNAL L 173 FOR IMPLEMENTING REGULATION NO. 1715/75).

2. THE COMMISSION HAS ALSO AUTHORIZED THE UNITED KINGDOM FOR THE PERIOD JULY 7-OCTOBER 31, 1975 TO SUSPEND APPLYING MONETARY COMPENSATORY AMOUNTS ON IMPORTS OF SHELL EGGS (OTHER THAN FOR HATCHING) FROM ALL SOURCES. THIS ACTION WAS TAKEN ON THE BASIS OF THE SAFEGUARD PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 135 OF THE ACCESSION TREATY. ON ACCOUNT OF THE DEPRECIATION OF THE POUND STERLING, THE MONETARY COMPENSATORY AMOUNT (MCA) SYSTEM ACTED TO SUBSIDIZE IMPORTS INTO THE UK, AGGRAVATING AN ALREADY DEPRESSED EGG MARKET. THE SUSPENSION OF MCA'S WILL MAKE EGG IMPORTS MORE EXPENSIVE. THIS WILL PARTICULARLY AFFECT IMPORTS FROM FRANCE WHICH ACCOUNTED FOR 7,250 M.T. OUT OF THE TOTAL 9,000 M.T. OF SHELL EGGS THAT

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